

MS AF Response Under 37 CFR 1.116 **Expedited Procedure Examining Group 3682**

PATENT 0505-0813P

IN THE U.S. PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant:

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Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450 April 21, 2004

Sir:

In response to the Examiner's Final Office Action dated January 21, 2004, the following amendments and remarks are respectfully submitted in connection with the above-identified application.

This reply includes:

Claim Set as Amended; and

Remarks.

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LARGE ENTITY TRANSMITTAL FORM FOR REPLY AFTER FINAL UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.116

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Sir:

Transmitted herewith is an amendment in the above-identified application.

The enclosed document is being transmitted via the Certificate of Mailing provisions of 37 C.F.R. § 1.8.

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The fee has been calculated as shown below:

	CLAIMS REMAINING AFTER AMENDMENT		HIGHEST NUMBER PREVIOUSLY PAID FOR		PRESENT EXTRA	RATE	ADDITIONAL FEE
TOTAL	17	-	20	=	0	\$ 18	\$0.00
INDEPENDENT	3	-	3	=	0	\$ 86	\$0.00
FIRST PRESENTATION OF A MULTIPLE DEPENDENT CLAIM					\$290	\$0.00	
						TOTAL	\$0.00

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	Petition for () month(s) extension of time pursuant to 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.17 and 1.136(a). \$0.00 for the extension of time.
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	Check(s) in the amount of \$0.00 is(are) enclosed.
	Please charge Deposit Account No. 02-2448 in the amount of \$0.00. This form is submitted in triplicate.
overn requi	If necessary, the Commissioner is hereby authorized in this, arrent, and future replies, to charge payment or credit any payment to Deposit Account No. 02-2448 for any additional fees ared under 37 C.F.R. §§1.16 or 1.17; particularly, extension of fees.
	Respectfully submitted,
	BIRCH, STEWART, KOLASCH & BIRCH, LLP
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